

Dear FCC: I am confused about the nature of the NAB's complaint. My understanding is that the agreement between XM, the FCC, and the NAB was that XM would not provide channels that were only available on their local repeaters. Unless I am missing something then they appear to be abiding by their agreement. This smells like the NAB is scared and/or uncomfortable with the competition. All of their traffic and weather channels are available nationwide. When I go to my car I can hear the traffic in Philadelphia... This seems like a blatant attack against XM by the NAB since XM has removed the one last advantage that the local broadcasters have. Plus XM's traffic and weather coverage is hundreds of times better. You don't have to sit through commercial after commercial to hear a 1 minute blurb about the traffic. Again I am still confused why this has even become an issue, however I do know that any elected official in my voting district that sides with the NAB will not get my vote this fall.....

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